

18th Sunday in Ordinary Time

August 3 & August 4, 2019



Mass Intentions + Memorial SI – Special Intention

<u>Sat Aug 3</u>	
5:00pm SP	+ Mike & Mareeta Setter by Gary & Wilma Setter
<u>Sun Aug 4</u>	
8:00am SJ	SI for all newly ordained priests
9:30am SFX	For the people of all 4 parishes
11:00am ST	All living & deceased members of the ladies Altar Society by Altar Society
<u>Mon Aug 5</u>	No Masses today.
<u>Tues Aug 6</u>	
12:05pm SFX	SI Blair Bracciano by Stan & Janet Wahlmeier
<u>Wed Aug 7</u>	
8:30am ST	SI for living and deceased members of the Knights of Columbus by the Knights
6:00pm SJ	SI of the Knights of Columbus # 6055
<u>Thurs Aug 8</u>	
8:30am ST	+ Henry Tastove by Margie Tastove
<u>Fri Aug 9</u>	
7:00am SFX	SI Children & Grand-children of Chris & Andrea Jones
<u>Sat Aug 10</u>	
5:00pm SP	SI for all living & deceased Graves family members by Denny Graves
<u>Sun Aug 11</u>	
8:00am SJ	SI for all Confirmation Students
9:30am SFX	+ Wallace Birk by Scott & Judy Birk
11:00am ST	For the people of all 4 parishes

Mass intentions are needed at St. Joseph for all Masses. Masses can be said for any family member or friend, Catholic or non-Catholic, living or deceased or for general intentions (in thanksgiving, good harvest, our country, etc.). Please contact the office if you would like to have a Mass intention listed. If you have any questions, please contact Father Quentin or the office. Thank you.

A message from Father Quentin...

One of the common phrases I remember hearing from coaches while playing sports was, 'we need to light a fire under all of you'. This message would usually come when we had given a lackluster performance in a game or given into mediocrity in practice. Maybe the coaches were familiar with the following Gospel passage....

*"Jesus said to his disciples:
'I have come to set the earth on fire,
and how I wish it were already blazing!'"*

Just like when competing in a game in the spiritual life, we must continue to be aware of the times we might be becoming complacent or not giving God our all.

In recognizing this human trait, we must also focus on how we can fan the flames. We have an opportunity to learn how to grow that flame for Christ at the Youth & Family Event that will be held on August 18 at Prairie Star Ranch. Noelle Garcia will speak directly on the message of "Starting a Fire" in our lives that will burn brighter, changing our lives and the whole world. What a wonderful message and you don't want to miss it!

May the Holy Spirit which came down on the Apostles at Pentecost as tongues of fire also be the fire that makes our hearts burn for the Lord.

May God Bless us all.

Reminder:

If you want a shirt for the Youth & Family Event with your registration you need to be signed-up by Tuesday, August 6.

If you sign-up later than that, the cost will be \$10 per shirt on top of the registration fee.

Also, if you need a ride, please let us know as we have a transportation option available and it will be first come, first seated.

Contact Angela in the Office to register or to sign-up for transportation. Thank you.

Welcome!

If you are new to the area and would like to join one of our four parishes, or are visiting and need anything during your stay, please notify the office or contact Fr. Quentin directly. God bless you!

St. Joseph Parish Announcements

Volunteers needed to help mow the church yard. Please contact John Lichtenauer or sign-up on the sheet in the back of church. Thank you for your stewardship in action!

August Cleaners: Kelly Stice & Theresa Biggs

August Hospitality: Rex & Terry Arb

Ministers	Sunday – Aug 11 – 8:00am
Eucharist	Kevin Thimmesch, Pete Foltz
Lector	Kelly Stice
Ushers	Joe Arb, Rex Arb
Offertory	Rex & Terry Arb
Rosary	Kelly Stice
Servers	Damian Foster, Kent Stukey
Ministers	Sunday – Aug 18 – No Mass Today
Eucharist	
Lector	No Mass today
Ushers	Father encourages everyone to attend
Offertory	the 4 Parish Event and Mass at Prairie
Rosary	Star Ranch. Call the office for
Servers	transportation help. Thank you.



St. Patrick Parish Announcements

August Cleaners: Cindy Rubick & LeaAnne Rubick

Ministers	Saturday – Aug 10 – 5:00pm
Lector	Ann Collins
Eucharist	Cookie Rausch & Alice Lickteig
Offertory	Dean & Bonnie Stark
Ministers	Saturday – Aug 17 – 5:00pm
Lector	No scheduled Ministers this week.
Eucharist	Father encourages everyone that can to
Offertory	attend the 4 Parish Event at Prairie Star Ranch on Sunday evening. Call the office for transportation help. Thank you.

I am the bread of life, says the Lord; whoever comes to me will not hunger and whoever believes in me will not thirst.

- John 6:35

St. Francis Xavier Parish Announcements

School Supply Collection: Please bring any extra school supplies to fill the totes so that those children in need will be ready when school starts. This collection is sponsored by the TCG Youth Group. Thank you!

August Church Cleaners: Cynthia Rogers, Angela Myers

Ministers	Sunday – Aug 11 – Mass Time 9:30am
Greeters	Chris & Andrea Jones
Offertory	John & Jessica Beyer
Lector	Diane Marshall
Eucharist & Cup	Nichole Louia Denise Humlicek, Diane Marshall
Sacristan	Andrea Jones
Cross	Trevin Myers
Servers	Addi Skillman, Caleb Robrahn
Ushers	Richard Mahoney, Greg Stice
Hospitality	Philip & Patty Beyer, Kim & Sharon Beyer
Rosary	Susan Mueller
Ministers	Thurs - Aug 15 – 6pm - Assumption
Greeters	None
Offertory	Dan & Susan Mueller
Lector	John Beyer
Eucharist and Cup	Leslie Mahoney Kim Robrahn, Sharon Beyer
Sacristan	Andrea Jones
Cross	Kamron Clay
Servers	Yasmin Rogers, Nevaeh Myers
Ushers	None
Hospitality	None
Rosary	Volunteer

If today you hear His voice; harden not your hearts. - Psalm 90

St. Teresa Parish Announcements

Please contact Angela in the office if you would like anything added to the bulletin. Thank you.

Ministers	Sunday – Aug 11 – Mass Time 11:00am	Sunday – Aug 18 – Mass Time 11:00am
Servers	Landon Schillig, Lane Brooks, Huck Young	
Lector	Alice Nolan	No scheduled Ministers this week.
Cantor	Evelyn Ervin	Father encourages everyone that can to attend
Offertory	Kevin & Stacey Holloran	the 4 Parish Event at Prairie Star Ranch on
Eucharist and cup	Margie Tastove Mary Ann Morgan, Ron Ohl	Sunday evening. Call the office for transportation help. Thank you.
Ushers	Mick Blaufuss, John Keating	

Please pray for all those in need of God's healing touch ...

Judy Abendroth, Paul & Sandra Austin, David Baldwin, Andrew Barr, Sylvia & Duane Bauer, Troy Birk, Betty Bodenhamer, Penny Buffo, Dustin Calhoun, Amy Chapman, Carolyn Carlson, John Collins, Pat Dennison, Jill Devena, Sue Dewitt, Gary Fevurly, Kelli Fraas, Mary Fraas, Jean Frank, Conway Foster, Zander Garrone, Miles Gibbons, Paige Grasser, Sharon Graybeal, Karen Hansen, Bruce Harden, Lorraine Heinz, Annee Hood, Linda Hopkins, Mark Hopkins, Carol Hopping, Ethel Huser, Gary Jackson, Doyle Johnson, Kennedy Keehn, Molly Keehn, Sandy Kraus, Ed Linhardt, Jim Mast, Joanie McClure, Debbie McNabb, Barbara Merry, Mirabelle Menard, Deb Neil, Shirley Nolan, Robert Norman, Teresa Osburn, Helen Pauly, Jennifer Reed, Jane Rehm, Dennis Rice, Clarence Schillig, Kenny Singleton, Patty Spencer, Kinsley Splechter, Leo Stice, Brianna Thomas, James Thomas, Elaine Weston, Gladys Young

Assumption of the Blessed Virgin

Masses for the Holy Day of Obligation

Vigil Mass will be held on Wednesday, Aug

14

6pm St. Joseph

Assumption Day Masses will be held on

Thursday, Aug 15

6:00 pm St. Francis Xavier

7:30 pm St. Teresa

The Assumption refers to the taking up, body and soul, of the Blessed Virgin Mary at the end of her earthly life. In this case the word indicates that she was taken to heaven by a power apart from herself. The Assumption is not recorded in Sacred Scripture, but there are several extant writings including one by St. Melito of Sardis, who died in the second century. Sometimes called the "Dormition," or "falling asleep" of our Lady, the doctrine has been acknowledged by the faithful both in the east and in the west since the earliest times. It has been the subject of many of the Fathers and Doctors of the Church, gives its name to numerous churches in their dedication, and is celebrated liturgically on August 15th. On 1 November, A.D. 1950, Pope Pius XII declared: "We pronounce, define, and declare it to be a divinely revealed dogma: that the Immaculate Mother of God, the ever Virgin Mary, having completed the course of her earthly life, was assumed body and soul into heavenly glory."



Sacrament of Reconciliation

7:30 – 7:55am	SJ	Sundays
5:30 – 5:55pm	SJ	Wednesdays
7:30 – 8:00am	SFX	Fridays
7:00 – 7:55am	SFX	1 st Saturdays
3:30 – 4:00pm	ST	Saturdays
4:30 – 4:55pm	SP	Saturdays

Please contact Father or the office directly if you would like to schedule a time that better fits your schedule. Thank you.

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

SJ	3:00 pm – 11:30 pm	Wed
SFX	8:00 am – 5:00 pm	Thurs
ST	9:00 am – 9:00 pm	Thurs



4 Parish & Area Announcements

VIRTUS Safe Environment Training is mandatory for volunteers in the Archdiocese and is held for any adult that actively participates in direct contact with youth. If you plan to help with CCD or the youth ministry program at your parish for the 2019-20 year and are not already trained, please contact the office or your parish DRE. The next Free trainings will be held at Sacred Heart Parish Hall, Emporia: Sunday, Aug 4, 10:45am - 1:45pm. or Thursday, September 5 6 – 9 pm. Light snacks will be served at each training. All those attending training must pre-register, complete the background check, and sign electronic documents at www.virtusonline.org Thank you!

Young Adult Ministry is for any graduated young adult living at home, at college, or that has entered the work force. We would like their mailing address and birthdate. Please list military once they have completed boot camp and are stationed. If you would like to volunteer to be a part of this ministry, please contact Angela in the office. God Bless you all.

The course on discernment using the book by Fr. Michael Scanlan - **What Does GOD Want?** to help you prayerfully answer tough life questions continues this week on Monday at 7pm at St. Francis Xavier parish hall.

Together we will learn the tools we need to overcome our doubts and make wise choices all in accordance with God's will.

Books are provided and the study will be led by John Beyer. All are welcome to attend.

Archdiocesan Announcements Continued

“Living in Love” Retreat for All Married Couples will be held at Christ the King Parish in Topeka - Aug 10-11. Register online at www.archkck.org/LivingInLove or contact Mary Anne Kierl directly at the Archdiocese at 913-647-0345.

Retreat Opportunity at Christ's Peace House of Prayer where the 4 dogmatic Marian teachings of the Church will be covered: 1) The Immaculate Conception, 2) The Virgin Birth, 3) Mother of God and 4) The Assumption. The retreat will be held from 5:30pm Friday, Aug 16 to 4pm Sunday, Aug 18 and includes talks, Eucharistic Adoration, Mass and time for private prayer / reflection. Cost is \$125 per night for couples and \$85 or \$40 per night for individuals. For more info call 913-773-8255.

NOTIFICATION: The Archdiocese remains committed to investigating any allegation of abuse of a minor made against any member of the clergy or any church employee or volunteer - no matter the age of the incident or the current age of the victim. Individuals are encouraged to call the confidential report line at (913) 647-3051 (or visit archkck.org/report abuse) to make a report to Jan Saylor, Archdiocesan Report Investigator, and to call law enforcement directly. If a child or vulnerable adult is in immediate danger, please call 911.

Faith Minute....

How do we treat our treasures?

Treasured items do not end up covered in something sticky at the bottom of your purse, or under a dirty pile in the garage. We proudly display them, usually up high, in order to both admire them and keep them safe.

Jesus reminds us in his message that our heart will be with our treasure.

Do you treasure your marriage?

Ask yourself:

- Do I have a reverence for my marriage?
- Do I put my marriage “up high” by prioritizing my spouse over work, activities, decisions, etc.?
- Do I protect my marriage through prayer, positive speech, reconciling hurts and healthy boundaries with others?

If you answered ‘no’ to these questions, you are not alone! Consider making an investment in your marriage by attending an enrichment activity which can be found in the announcements or directly at: www.archkck.org/family

Remember: Marital treasure collects compound interest far greater than financial treasure!



Save the date!!!!

4 Parish Sponsored - Rural Youth & Family Event

Sunday - August 18

at Prairie Star Ranch

3 - 7pm

Outdoor Mass at 6pm

National Speaker for the event: Noelle Garcia

with music by Wichita Adore Ministry

and games, dinner and dessert

Please bring: your own lawn chairs or blankets to sit in/on

Cost includes a T-shirt and is \$5 per person or \$25 per family of 4 or more

Register at the Office 620-364-5671

Financial help is available, please speak to Father for more information

Volunteer Sign-up sheets are in the back of each church and donations of individual water bottles are now being collected.

Everyone is welcome and encouraged to attend! Come join in faith & fellowship!